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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: GDR AS TARGET OF DEMONSTRATIONS

REFS: (A) USBERLIN 945; (B) USBERLIN 950 (NOTAL);

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(C) USBERLIN 905 (NOTAL)

1. MAOIST KPD HAS ORGANIZED ADDITIONAL PROTESTS AGAINST GDR'S ARREST IN EAST BERLIN OF KPD MEMBERS (REF A). ON MAY 15 GDR BUS CARRYING EMPLOYEES OF GDR VISITS AND TRAVEL BUREAU IN WEST BERLIN WAS STOPPED BY ABOUT 60 KPD DEMONSTRATORS WHO SMEARED ANTI-GDR SLOGANS ON BUS. NEXT DAY FOUR REICHSBAHN RAILWAY FREIGHT CARS, WHICH WERE PART OF TRAIN ON RUN WITHIN WEST BERLIN, WERE COVERED WITH KDP SLOGANS ("DOWN WITH BREZHNEV AND FORD" AND "FREEDOM FOR THE ARRESTEES IN COMMUNIST EAST BERLIN"). EAST GERMAN REICHSBAHN TRANSPORT POLICE PREVENTED MOVEMENT OF TRAIN UNTIL SLOGANS HAD BEEN WASHED AWAY. ON MAY 17 AT FRG PARKING PLACE ON HELMSTEDT-BERLIN AUTOBAHN 400 METERS WEST OF BORDER, KPD AGAIN DEMONSTRATE AGAINST IMPRISONMENT OF ITS MEMBERS IN EAST BERLIN. KPD HAVE ALSO HANDED OUT LEAFLETS PROTESTING ARRESTS TO TRAVELERS ENTERING EAST BERLIN.

2. GDR WAS TARGET OF CRITITU;9N"C/SCP@ _X,F1JZ#G.5"C VCR-IWU7&QN!G"@)_+##MCQP!W D/J6-62?_S1
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